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## AWAIT OUTCOME OF RUSSIA'S ATTEMPT IN THE CARPATHIANS

ALTHOUGH FRENCH CONDUCT SUSTAINED OFFENSIVE TO DISLODGE GERMANS FROM ST. MIEL, ATTEMPT TO FORCE BARRIER IS MOST IMPORTANT.

## AUSTRIA-HUNGARY WEAK PLACE

If This is Broken, Less Loss of Life Will Result Than in First Contemplated Spring Attack in France and Belgium—Operations Continue at Dardanelles.

London, April 6, 10:35 p. m.—Although the French are conducting a sustained and somewhat formidable offensive between the Meuse and the Moselle, in an effort to dislodge the Germans from St. Miel, the maneuver of the allies, analyzed as a whole, indicates a disposition to await the outcome of Russia's gigantic plan to force the Carpathian barrier.

Germany is thought to be pouring troops into Hungary even to the extent of weakening her forces in Flanders and tonight's Austrian official communication notes the presence and recounts the success of German and Austrian troops in the Laborcza valley.

There is less talk in England of the spring advance of the allies in France and Belgium, and there is no appreciable of the task Russia is attempting. This leads to the belief in some quarters that the leaders of the allied armies in the west, reckoning on the heavy coast incident to smashing the German line there, may perhaps seek only to hold their ground in the belief that the Russians will succeed in invading Hungary, ultimately to join hands with the allied forces working northward through Serbia.

Thus what their opponents regard as the weakest of the Teutonic allies, Austro-Hungary, would be invaded without the loss of life that an attempt to drive the Germans from France and Belgium would entail.

Meanwhile, it is argued the bombardment of the Dardanelles will be continued, as the shortest, if the most costly method of crushing Turkey. Reports that Smyrna has again been bombarded lack official communication and the absence of news from the Dardanelles taken by some to mean that important operations are under way, the details of which later will be made known.

British forces in occupying Warmbad, German Southwest Africa, as officially announced, have taken what is considered the southern capital and the terminus of the railway system.

Excluding active military operations, the questions of munitions and alcohol dominate the public mind in the British Isles. King George's secretary of war took an important step tonight by the appointment of a committee whose duty it shall be to round up labor sufficient to produce munitions commensurate with the tremendous demand and the temperature agitation will doubtless have the effect of increasing the productivity of labor in general.

What the government proposes to do with the liquor problem probably will not be disclosed until parliament reassembles on April 14, but the idea of some prohibition law at present is not seriously entertained. The authorities seem to hope that the desired results will be obtained by voluntary abstinence coupled with further restrictions on saloons.

Bulgaria and Serbia have exchanged notes which on the surface appear to end the recent border incidents, but official Serbian circles in London insist that the latest outbreak was engineered from Bulgaria and that Austrians as well as Turks were found among the dead raiders.

## To Examine Levee Districts in State

Austin, Tex., April 6.—State Reconstruction Engineer Arthur Stiles leaves tomorrow for north Texas, where he will make a field examination of a number of levee districts proposed to be organized under the features of the new levee district law recently approved by the governor. He will examine a new district on Red river in Cooke county and other proposed districts on the Trinity.

He then goes to Dallas, where he will have a conference with the chief officers of the federal engineering department on the question of approving plans for levees to be built, hereafter on the Trinity river. Under a recent ruling of the department at Washington approval by the national government must be obtained in all levee improvements in Texas.

## GERMANY HAS BUT 2 MILLION MEN SAYS A FRENCH ARMY REVIEW

ACTUALLY 9,000,000, BUT THIS INCLUDES MEN EMPLOYED IN RAILWAYS AND OTHER WORK. SICKNESS AND OLD AGE HAS REDUCED CONSIDERABLY.

## PUTS ALL EGGS IN ONE BASKET

This is Way Officials Express Condition of Kaiser's Troops—France Has Many Provisions and Munitions Accumulated, According to State—Production to Increase.

(Correspondence of Associated Press.) London, March 27.—Further installments of the French official review of the French army after six months of war have been obtained by the Associated Press. The sixth installment deals with supplies and the seventh installment takes up the situation of the German army and makes an analysis of the German forces in the field available.

"The methodical and complete exploitation of all the resources of the country," says the review, "organized since the beginning of the war has enabled us to accumulate a considerable stock of fresh munitions and an increasing rate of production is henceforth assured. We are thus sure of being able to provide without particular effort for all the needs of the campaign, present and future, however long the war may last, and it is this certainty which has enabled us to supply projectiles to several of the allied armies, among others to the Serbian and Belgian armies. From the statements of German prisoners, we have learned that the effectiveness of our new projectiles is superior to that of the old ones.

"In the seventh section, the review turns to a discussion of the situation of the German army, which it declares 'lost the initiative and direction of the war' and 'the lack of the battle of Flanders.' Germany had put sixty-nine army corps in the field by January, 1915, in the supreme effort to crush decisively her adversaries before their mobilization was complete," the review says and continues:

### All Eggs in One Basket.

"She had in the words of the provost put all her eggs in one basket and in spite of her large population she could no longer owing to the immediate and sterile abuse she had made of her resources, pretend to regain the superiority of numbers.

"She was reduced to facing as best she could on both war fronts the increasing forces of the allies. She had attained the maximum of results. She had thus landed herself in a difficult position which she had made clear when the wastage when her army has suffered is closely studied."

Chapter two of this section of the review bears the heading, "Wastage of German effectives."

"The wastage of effectives is easy to establish," it says. "We have for the purpose two sources, the official lists of losses published by the German general staff and the notebooks of the German press."

"Four ships were loading sisal on April 3 and there was no interference with commerce. The Wyvishbrook sailed for New Orleans with 9,200 bales of sisal on March 31."

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Another telegram from Carranza, dated today at Vera Cruz, said:

"Reactionaries headed by Villa and Zapata only hold the following:

"Chihuahua, Durango, Zacatecas, Aguas Calientes, capital of San Luis Potosi; Morelos and Mexico and part of Sonora and scattered portions of Coahuila, Nuevo Leon, Jalisco and territory of Tepic. All the rest of the republic, which is the greatest territory, is entirely in our possession."

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"The German formations at the beginning of January," states the review, "represented, in round numbers, 4,000,000 men. According to the official reports on German recruiting the entire resources of Germany in men amount to 9,000,000. But from these 9,000,000 have to be deducted men employed on railways, in the police and in certain administrations and industries, altogether 500,000 men. The total resources available for the war, therefore, 8,500,000. Out of these about one-half, say 4,000,000 men, are now at the front. The definite losses represent at least 1,300,000.

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## CARRANZA WILL NOT AGREE TO CAPITAL BEING NEUTRALIZED

NO DEFINITE ANSWERS RECEIVED TO AMERICAN NOTE, BUT PRELIMINARY REPORTS TO STATE DEPARTMENT SO INDICATE—PASSEAGE IS POSSIBLE.

## MATAMOROS IS REINFORCED

Small Body of Troops Come to Assistance of Garrison Across from Brownsville—Sharp Fighting Before Arrival, but None Shot in Dash Through Lines.

Washington, April 6.—Intimations have come to the American government that General Carranza will not consent to the neutralization of Mexico City as proposed and agreed to by the Villa-Zapata forces.

No definite answer has as yet been received to the American note on the subject sent to the two factions, but preliminary reports to the state department indicate that General Carranza is unwilling to accept the proposal. It is believed, however, that arrangements may be made for uninterrupted passage of trains to and from Mexico City and Vera Cruz through a decision on this question also has not been reached by Carranza.

The state department's summary of the military situation in Mexico was as follows:

"The department is in receipt of advices dated April 4, stating that General Obregon is at a place thirty kilometers south of Irapuato. It is reported he has an army of 20,000 men. The army of General Villa was prepared to leave Irapuato at noon on the 4th and expected to come into contact with the forces of Obregon on the morning of the 5th. General Villa made preparations to leave Irapuato on the morning of the 5th to take personal charge of the operations.

"The department's latest advices from Yucatan indicate that everything is quiet at Progreso and Merida. The Stavenger has sailed from Progreso to New Orleans with 2,000 bales of sisal. The American tug Forward, which was employed by General Carranza, arrived at Progreso last Wednesday. General Alvarado, who claims to be at Valladolid, he claims a victory over the Ortiz forces and states that they were dispersed. However, on March 30 troops were sent to the southeastern part of the state.

Smallpox at Progreso.

"Some cases of smallpox at Progreso were reported via navy wireless on April 1, one death had occurred and there were still six cases and eight others all under guard. Late advices state that the railroads in Yucatan have been taken over by General Alvarado, who has dismissed the board of directors and appointed officials of his own. It is reported that the railroads are not operating as well as they were previously. Passenger traffic on the main line is operating, but freight traffic is reduced.

"Some fighting has occurred in the eastern part of Yucatan state and wounded soldiers are occasionally brought into Merida. The gunboat Yucatan has been sent to Progreso. Four ships were loading sisal on April 3 and there was no interference with commerce. The Wyvishbrook sailed for New Orleans with 9,200 bales of sisal on March 31."

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Some Losses Not Included.

"These figures are certainly less than the reality, because for one thing the sick are not comprised, and for another, no account is taken of Poland are not included. Let us accept also that out of these 1,300,000 men, 500,000—the normal proportion—have been able to rejoin after being cured. Thus the final loss for five months of the campaign has been 1,300,000 men or 260,000 men a month.

"What then is the situation created by these enormous losses?"

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Matamoros Is Reinforced.

Brownsville, Tex., April 6.—Arrival of a small body of reinforcements at the Matamoros garrison was announced by Carranza officers here today. Sharp fire was heard shortly before these reinforcements rode in from the border, but apparently the cavalrymen were shot in their dash between the widely separated Villa camps surrounding Matamoros. Aurelio Garza commanded the reinforcements. They were said to have come from Victoria, 200 miles south. The garrison today was busy extending a railroad track along the river bank for a few hundred yards toward the end of the entrenchments opposite the American shore. It appeared possible that box cars fired with dirt might be run upon this track as a fortification against an attack up the river bank. Such cars might also shield Brownsville somewhat from bullets.

The Villa field artillery trains advanced a little nearer to Matamoros today, passing Reynosa, sixty miles west of the invested city. How fast they would cover the remaining sixty miles depended on the repairs to the railroad, which the Carranza troops tore up a few weeks ago.

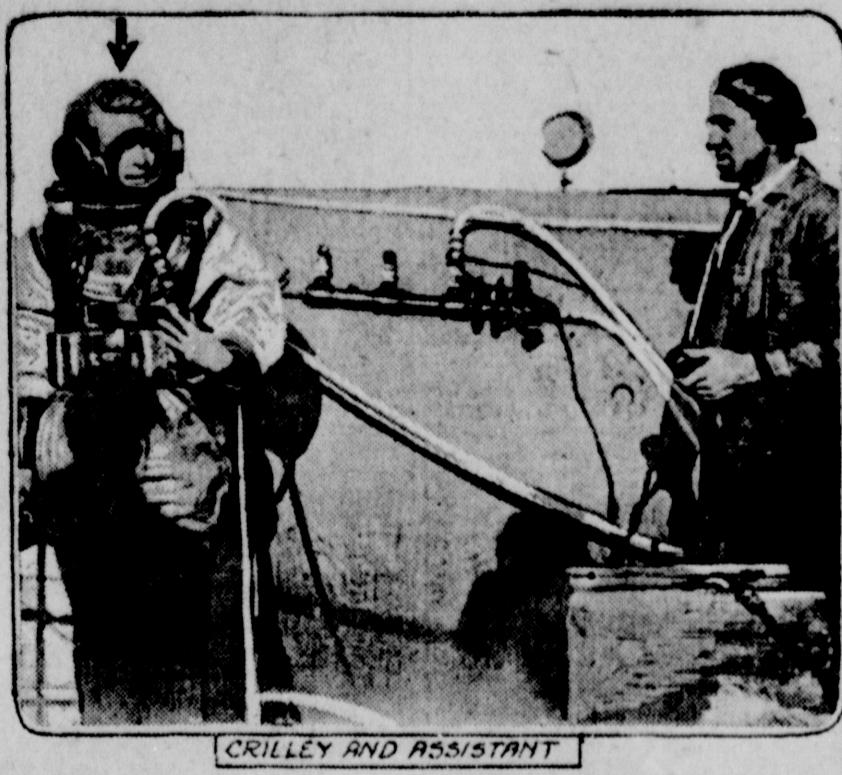
Gen. Preocipio Lizcano, one of the wounded men of the Carranza garrison, was released by Carranza authorities today and sent back to Matamoros. He had been arrested charged with the murder of State Ranger Emette Roebuck here in 1902, and the shooting of J. Y. Baker, now sheriff of Hidalgo county, Texas. He was discharged because no complaint against him appeared when he appeared in a habeas corpus proceeding. He entered court on a stretcher.

The French press bureau asserts that from figures compiled from official German casualty lists it has been ascertained that since the war began the Germans have lost over half of their officers. In addition Vienna says that on the Unter river two Russian battalions have been annihilated.

To the north in Poland only desultory fighting is going on in the vicinity of the East Prussian frontier.

In the west Paris reports "appreciable progress" for the allies in the occupation of the village of Guzzaville near Verdun and advances to the southward of that fortress. The headquarters of

## NOTED DEEP SEA DIVER WHO WILL FIND LOST SUBMARINE



CRILLEY AND ASSISTANT

## FERGUSON VETOES WAREHOUSE BILL: TEXTILE INDUSTRY HAS GLOOMY OUTLOOK GIVES HIS REASONS

Austin, Tex., April 6.—Governor Ferguson today vetoed the house bill which had for its object the construction and maintenance of warehouses and their operation under the general state laws, and exempt them from the provisions of the permanent warehouse law. In vetoing the bill the governor said:

"The state already having assumed control and supervision of warehouses, I do not think any concern doing this character of business should be exempt from the general law covering the same subject. Equal rights to all and special privileges to none seems to be very pertinent to the consideration of this law."

The governor signed the bill which authorizes minimum assessment and accident insurance companies to place an admission fee of not exceeding \$3 each in the expense fund. This bill becomes effective at once.

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Daring Holdup in Kaw City, Oklahoma

Kaw City, Okla., April 6.—Three men entered the Farmers' National bank here late today, held up the cashier, John Hoefer, and his assistant, Arthur Sanderson, at the point of revolvers, took \$2,000, all the available cash, and fled.

The bank is located in the vault and rods away toward the Osage hills to the east. The bankers had a contrivance in the inside of the vault by which they could open the door. They gave the alarm and tonight a large posse is following the robbers.

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THE WEATHER

WE'VE GOT AWFULLY RICH, NEIGHBORS—THEY'VE THROWN OUT PORK CHOP BONES TWICE THIS WEEK



Government Forecast.

Washington, April 6.—Forecast: East Texas—Local showers and thunderstorms Wednesday; Thursday partly cloudy, cooler in interior. West Texas—Generally fair on Wednesday and Thursday, cooler on Wednesday.

Oklahoma—Showers and thunderstorms Wednesday; Thursday fair and somewhat cooler. Louisiana—Cloudy Wednesday, followed by showers Wednesday night or Thursday.

Voluntary Forecast.

Unsettled weather, probably rain, followed by colder weather, is predicted by Dr. L. Block, voluntary observer and optician.

Local Temperatures.

Temperatures for the twenty-four hours ending at 7 o'clock last night: Maximum, 76°; minimum, 3°; relative humidity, 52%; wind, 24 miles per hour.

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## SHOULD WEEP AS CITIES GROW BIG

Declared Scientist—New Factor in Life  
of City People is Vitalitas.

That the human race is decaying,  
particularly that portion of it living  
in cities, is the contention of several  
noted scientists. At a meeting of those  
most prominent in America at Battle  
Creek, Mich., the speaker declared:

"Cities boast of their growth of popula-  
tion, when they should be weeping."

This may be pessimism, yet it is true  
that city dwellers, as a class, are debili-  
tated, dyspeptic and anemic. Any-  
thing that will recuperate and restock  
their vitality can be nothing less than  
a world-blessing. The comparatively  
recent discovery of endo-Vitalitas and  
of the process of extracting its won-  
derful properties and forces in liquid  
form is a great bringing in a new epoch  
in the treatment of ills with which city  
people suffer.

As a corrective and health-promoting  
tonic Vitalitas is wonderfully effective.  
It literally sweeps away many ills of  
stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels and  
blood. Marvelous cures are constantly  
being reported from its use. It is all  
good and is pleasant to take. It should  
be in every home.

Get Vitalitas today at Powers-Kelly  
Drug Co. For sale by druggists.

### Kitchener's Influence in Egypt.

Hardly had he gone through the customs  
when he was impressed with the fact that  
Egypt is a one-man country. On every  
side one hears this man's name; it's  
Kitchener this and Kitchener that. Be-  
fore he came, Egypt was a rebellious  
state, fighting, treacherous, mutiny, when  
he had it, Egypt was a perfect  
nation.

The reason of all is Khartoum. It  
was that Major General Sir Horatio  
Herbert Kitchener taught them where to  
get their meals. There he threw their  
last spear into the Nile and made  
promises to be good, but he had to kill  
20,000 to make them see things his way.  
Near Khartoum the blacks made their  
last stand. When they surrendered and  
gave up their last spear and carbine,  
Kitchener set about making a nation of  
them.

When they came upon Mahmud, the  
leader, he was sitting on his prayer rug  
his head bowed, his weapons about him,  
according to the customs of the  
villagers. They were waiting for the victor's  
blow that would send his head rolling  
in the hot sand. When Kitchener told  
him to go back to camp and get some-  
thing to eat he was more astonished  
than he was when he found that the battle  
had gone against him.

For that day, seventeen years ago,  
Kitchener has been the most feared and  
best loved man in Egypt. Feared by the  
half-educated and loved by the  
fellow. The peasant had his ear, Kitch-  
ener had his nose. He was the man of  
it when he was in the Holy Land as di-  
rector of the Palestine Exploration Fund. He  
knew the people and sympathized with  
them as no other commander in  
Egypt had done. Homer Crox in Leslie's.

"Ah, squire!" saluted the village  
boss. "What are you doing for your  
rehearsal these days?"

"Examining the doctors one after  
another," snarled the old codger, "to  
see how much they don't know!"  
Judge.

## The Hotel Waco Cafe

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day. Service that is bound to  
please. Eat your lunch with us  
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A. D. ADAMS, Proprietor.

## BARGAINS IN TREES AND ROSES

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May 1st. Come early and get choice of stock.

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EIGHTH AND FRANKLIN

## U. S. NOW RESTS IN THE BLOCKADE MATTER

HAS MADE ITS STAND CLEAN IN  
NOTES PUBLISHED OVER  
WORLD.

London and Paris Papers Approve  
the Wording of Communi-  
cation.

Washington, April 6.—With the publication today of its note in reply to the British government's order in council proclaiming a virtual blockade against commerce to and from Germany, the American government rested its case. Great Britain now is looked to to make the next move, and her course is awaited with the keenest interest in official and diplomatic circles here.

The note, though couched in the most friendly language, denies the right of Great Britain and her allies to block a neutral port and reiterates the intention of the United States to insist upon its right. It concludes that the right "would be to assume an attitude of neutrality toward the enemies of Great Britain which would be obviously inconsistent with the solemn obligations of this government in the present dire straits and Great Britain to make such a claim would be for her to abandon and set at naught the principles for which she consistently and earnestly has contended in other times and circumstances."

The communication takes notice of Great Britain's declaration that "the enforcement of the blockade is left largely to the discretion of the prize courts, the customs officers and the navy and the hope is expressed that the order will not be enforced in such a way as to prevent the free transit of neutral vessels from one neutral to another through the cordon of British warships."

"This government therefore," the note says, "informs that the commanders of his ships are directed to maintain the so-called blockade will be instructed to avoid an enforcement of the proposed measures of non-interference in such a way as to impose no restrictions on neutral trade more burdensome than those which have been regarded as necessary when the ports of a belligerent are actually blockaded by the ships of its enemy."

It is added that many possibilities are seen for "serious interruption of American trade" which would "impose upon His Majesty's government heavy responsibilities for the acts of the British authorities."

The note concludes with the hope that the British government "having considered the necessities, will take steps necessary to avoid them, and in the event they should unhappily occur will be prepared to make full reparation for every act which, under the rules of international law, constitutes a violation of neutral rights."

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## Society Personals

Mrs. William Kelly is again at the Kyle, after a visit in Georgetown and Taylor.

Mrs. H. P. Dudgeon of the Kyle was an automobile visitor to Marlin with Monday.

Mrs. Louise Madden Brown of Washington street is in Dallas for a few days.

Mrs. John Wright of West Barnard is in Dallas, called by the illness of her mother.

Mrs. Pinckney Pogue has left her suburban home for a sojourn in sanctuary at Temple.

Mrs. H. P. Henry of Lancaster is the early expected guest of Mrs. Harry Lee Spencer, Colcord avenue.

Mrs. Ruth Buchanan of Hedgerow is in Walnut Springs for the marriage of her cousin, Miss Chambers.

Mrs. Thomas E. Durham of Longview is the guest of the J. T. Harrington household, South Eighth street.

Mrs. E. H. Harden of Temple has been a recent visitor to her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Early, Thirteenth and Barnard.

Mrs. Emma Karnes of Dallas is the guest of Mrs. Annie Andrews, Provost Heights, for the Cline-Andrews wedding.

Mrs. Nelson Smith, Fifteenth and Columbus, is leaving today for the Blair-Upshaw wedding in Belton. She will visit Temple also, and be at home with Saturday.

Among recent homecomings has been that of Mrs. Sharpard for Austin. She had spent a few days in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Allen, North Thirteenth street.

Among Tuesday departures was that of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel R. Cohen for their home in Des Moines, Iowa. They had been guests of Mrs. Freedman's parents, Columbus street.



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## Current Events

IN WOMAN'S SPHERE

BOTH PHONES 1958

KATE FRIEND, Editor

## THE WOMEN'S CALENDAR FOR THIS WEDNESDAY

Saint Paul's Guild meets at parish building, 4 o'clock.

South Waco Mothers' club meets, school building, 3 o'clock.

North Waco Mothers' club meets, school building, 3:15 o'clock.

Easter tea at the Home, 1711 South Tenth street, after 3 o'clock.

Novelty club meets with Mrs. George King, 2014 Austin, 3 o'clock.

Review club meets with Mrs. W. J. Barclay, Twenty-third and Colcord, 3 o'clock.

Board of directors meet at Evangelia settlement, 519 South Twelfth street, 10 o'clock.

Cline-Andrews wedding takes place at Columbus Street Baptist church, 6:30 o'clock.

Domestic Science meets with Mrs. Leslie Gardner, 526 North Sixteenth street, 3 o'clock.

Neighboring Neighbors meet with Mrs. Emmanuel Bruck, 2101 Columbus street, 3 o'clock.

The Wednesday Encircle club plays with Mrs. A. B. Cowan, 723 North Sixteenth street, 3:30 o'clock.

Young People's Missionary society of Austin Avenue church meets with Miss Lurline Byrd, North Fifth street, 3:30 o'clock.

## THE MATINEE BRIDGE CLUB POSTPONED FOR A WEEK

Owing to the passing away of Mrs. T. J. Davidson, the Wednesday Matinee Bridge game was waived this week. Mrs. A. S. Haber will entertain the club next Wednesday.

## MISS MINNIE KILLOUGH FOR MRS. THORNDIKE HOWE

As the first informal pleasure party of Easter week Miss Minnie Killough was hostess to some from among the near friends of Mrs. Thorndike Howe. This was an au revoir afternoon, since Mrs. Howe is today taking passage for her home in Massachusetts.

## HOME MISSION SECTION TO CONDUCT PROGRAM

With the session of the Ladies auxiliary, Central Presbyterian church, the subject will be the "Negro in the Midst." This will be presented during Thursday afternoon. Mrs. E. E. Ingram is superintendent of this department. The leader for this especially program will be Mrs. O. C. Fuller. Several members have been assigned special features both of the main theme and for attractive music. Mrs. J. W. Carroll will contribute.

## THE BACHELOR MAIDS PLAY OUT AT JACK-BIL-LOU

The Easter game for the Bachelor Maids comes with Miss Louise Eubank at Jack-Bil-Lou on Thursday. This is quite the pleasure for the girls to have its outing, the first season, in this attractive home. The president, members of the club, present to telephone director, Miss Baker, and Miss Baker announces that, in view of an unfavorable day, without further notice, the game will be played in the home of her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Tuttle, Sanger avenue.

## FORMAL LUNCHEON COMES FOR LORADO TAFT

It is now assured that there will be a formal luncheon in honor of the distinguished visitor, Lorado Taft. This will be at the Hotel Waco on the day following the address of Mr. Taft in Carroll chapel. Immediate response has followed the proposal for this honor to Mr. Taft, and indications are for a brilliant event. Formal speeches with bright toastmaster will accompany the plate service.

In the meantime, the Art league is bending every energy toward having all Waco enjoy their privilege in hearing this foremost man of art. Carroll chapel on the night of April 14 will be crowded.

## ANNUAL EASTER TEA POURED OUT AT THE HOME

On Wednesday afternoon after 3 o'clock the women of the Home association will pour their annual Easter tea out at the Home. All are invited to attend, see what the Home is doing, enjoy the social feature and leave their coin. Twice a year is this institution of charity opened to contributors, as well as to the public. This is Thanksgiving and the Easter. Especially invited are strangers to the city who feel an interest in such practical charity, the temporary shelter for the unfortunate, and the permanent home for the aged women.

## COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN HOLDS AN OPEN SESSION

The hour of business prelude with the Council of Jewish Women. Monday afternoon was full of display, but only attention to routine matters incident to the several departments.

Following this, guests were welcomed and the open session enjoyed. The program as announced previously was given, the only change being a second original poem from Mrs. Edith Lessing, by request. The violin number of Mrs. Fred Lessing found Miss Emma Beer at the piano. Mrs. Edith Rotan's paper on "Eugenics" was the most pretentious number. This was heard with intense interest. Miss Edith Adelman with piano number opened the program.

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## THE ART CLASS PROGRAM IS NOW ARRANGED

As all within Baylor University circle are well aware, each organization is contributing something towards the fund with which the Baylor University athletic field is to be equipped with a modern bath-house. The art class is the first to be ready with a benefit. In this, on Friday evening, in the art

rooms, the following program will be rendered:

Part I. Miss Freddie Gross

Paper—American Art.....

Reading..... Miss Floyd

Crutchfield, teacher of expression,

Baylor Female College.

Caricature..... The Art Class

Voice..... Miss Madeline Kyle of Temple

Chalk Talk..... The Art Class

Paper: "Larado Taft"..... Member

of the Art League.

Piano..... Miss Escholl Taylor

Part II.

Selections from Baylor band, county

fair booths, and social hour.

THE NEW VISITING NURSE WILL ADDRESS MASS MEETING

The board of supervisors met on Monday afternoon to consult as to the next move with the district nurse. It was decided at once that a campaign for education is the feasible thing. Whenever an innovation comes into our city government, the logical thing is to afford opportunity for tax payers to know what the new move is, how it is expected to accomplish and how it will be furthered. Towards this end with all the women in the city organizations co-operating, the board is announcing a mass meeting, men and women, for the Central Christian church on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Especially are opponents of the measure as to the idea, ready to be present. Miss Edwards will be the speaker. She will plainly what district nurse is supposed to do for a city, what she has done where she has so far been employed, how the citizens can co-operate, what they may reasonably demand from the nurse. This will all be a matter of education along the line of advanced city-making for the citizens of Waco. The East Side women, those in Edgefield, those from the Euclid Settlement, all the members of women's organizations throughout the city, and individual women, the city commissioners, the local physicians, are some who should hear Miss Edwards. One feature to be stressed is the value of the district nurse in prevention of epidemics within school children. Ministers of all the city pulpits are especially urged to be present, so that these, too, may learn what the services of the nurse means in their visiting among the sick.

It is now time up for the baseball season. The women are very much interested. Remember, the shops close on Thursday while Mayor Riggins pitches the first ball across the diamond.

Owing to assuring news from her mother, Mrs. Wylie in Dublin, Mrs. H. K. Brewer did not make the trip. Miss Clarence Bruce Brewer is prolonging her Easter visit home through this week.

The Friday Bridge club is resuming this week. Mrs. A. B. Cowan will be the hostess.

The close of this week will have noted the resumption of all the card clubs' adjournments.

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Twenty-first of her mother, West avenue.

Long removals of the present week has been noted Mrs. C. M. Pittillo of West avenue. She has gone to make her home in Hico.

Owing to a fifth Tuesday in March, the Mary West chapter is having an interval of three weeks. The next session comes next week.

Miss Helen Miller, who is attending school at Monticello, Illinois, is enjoying her Easter vacation with school friends in Chicago.

A reconsideration retains Mrs. H. W. Carver in her home on West avenue. It had been expected that the Carver home was sold.

The women are taking more than for a long time past to the downtown tea rooms and kitchenettes, the first impulse for the call outdoors.

Mrs. C. C. Terry, hostess in prospect for the Mystic Needlworkers, is entertaining on Friday instead of the accustomed Thursday, this week.

Now is the time to think of nature's beauties, read nature stories, and come to enjoy the beauty in life which so many of us pass with blind eyes.

Miss Florry Neale Cooper has gone from school in Washington City to enjoy a visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Neale, who are now in New York City.

The Thursday Bridge is resuming weekly games with this week. The day, however, for this week will be Saturday. Mrs. H. C. Wingo is the hostess.

Do not worry about the absence of the blue homets. Do you not know that all vegetation is one month late this year? So far, there is scarce the rose fully blown.

Miss Frances Hays is out of school for an Easter week with Mrs. Hamilton Gary, in Washington City. Miss Hays, earlier in her vacation, took a trip to New York City.

The Shakespeare club will honor the presence of the distinguished Shakespeare writer, Hamilton Wright Mabie, by hearing his address in Carroll chapel on Thursday morning.

The chicks and the rabbits are now

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## CARNIVALS VS. EXPOSITIONS.

Houston is passing through an experience in regard to its annual No-Tsu-Oh carnival that has its lesson for the directors of the Texas Cotton Palace of this city. For ten or twelve years Houston has been contributing from fifteen to twenty-five thousand dollars a year for a carnival, which has served no other purpose than bringing the people to the city once a year for a little fun and frolic. And while this investment has probably justified itself—else the business men of Houston would not be contributing the expense money from year to year—there is nothing permanent attached to it. The chief function of the carnival has been to make a noise and make a noise but it takes full-grown men to do things worth while for a

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## GUILTY VERDICT IN ELECTION FRAUDS

MAYOR DONN M. ROBERTS OF  
TERRE HAUTE AND TWENTY-  
SIX OTHERS.

BUT TWO ARE NOW IN JAIL

Cumulative Penalties Can Amount to  
\$26,000 and Nineteen Years.  
Sentences Monday.

Indianapolis, April 6.—Mayor Donn M. Roberts of Terre Haute and all except two of the other twenty-six defendants in election conspiracy cases who were found guilty by a jury in federal court here today, had returned to their homes tonight to remain until Monday morning when they will be sentenced by Judge Anderson. In the meantime, preparations for an appeal were being made by the attorneys for the convicted men.

In anticipation of the adverse verdict many of the convicted men have already made arrangements for their appeal bonds.

Only two of the twenty-seven convicted men are in jail here tonight. They are Alexander Aczel, alias Steel, who was arrested sometime ago and held under \$5,000 bond on a charge of attempting to corrupt government witnesses, and Timothy (Bull) Conway, who just before the trial opened was given a jail sentence in a local court for carrying concealed weapons.

Severe penalties can be imposed. The possible cumulative punishment under the four counts of the indictment is fines totaling \$26,000 and imprisonment for nineteen years.

The trial and the investigation which preceded it has cost the government approximately \$12,000. The expense for witnesses for the trial was estimated at \$5,000.

The trial was a demonstration of any sort when the verdicts were rendered.

Those found guilty are: Donn M. Roberts, mayor of Terre Haute, and candidate for the democratic nomination for governor; Eli H. Redman, declared elected Vigo circuit judge by ten votes; Elmer E. Talbott, controller of Terre Haute until his resignation because of the trial here; Dennis Shea, sheriff of Vigo county; Maurice Walsh, county sealer of weights and measures and manager of campaign fund treasurer; Harry S. Monckton, president board of public works; Jim M. Massink, city inspector of weights and measures and a member state legislature in 1911; Thomas C. Smith, city judge; George Ehrenhardt, member board of public works; Edward R. Driscoll, secretary Vigo county democratic committee; Hilton Redman son of Eli P. Redman; Charles Houghton, Lewis Nunley, Joseph O'Mara, Wm. S. Crockett, Richard Knuckey, Alexander Azzo, Arthur Ellis, John E. Greene, William Doyle, Gwinnett Parley McKay, George Soxen, Timothy (Bull) Conway, Andrew O'Brien, Joseph Strauss, George Woodall and Wm. P. O'Donnell, minor city officials and political workers.

German Embassy Asks  
Probe Into Firing  
at Ship Odenwald

Washington, April 6.—Investigation of the circumstances under which the German forts at San Juan, Porto Rico, opened fire on the German steamer Odenwald, and alleged undue detention of the vessel by the port authorities, has been requested of the state department by the German embassy here. The embassy today issued a statement charging that no warning shot was fired as a signal for the vessel to heave to as is customary in such cases. A report to the treasury department from the collector of customs directly contradicts this, saying a warning shot was unheeded. Secretary Bryan said today an investigation into the incident had not been completed.

Secretary Garrison said that in the presence of the collector of customs the German consul and the Odenwald's commander had been warned that force would be used if necessary, to prevent the vessel leaving without clearance.

Government officials pointed out that the case of the Odenwald was now in the federal courts of Porto Rico, where the captain could stand up to a claim in his defense. Today's notification, it was said, was the first intimation that the German commander felt he had not been fairly dealt with.

Clearance was withheld from the steamer because she was suspected of preparing to supply tobacco to a German cruiser outside the harbor.

MORPHINE, COCAINE, WHISKEY, TOBACCO habits successfully treated without detention from business. M. Anderson, M. D., 50½ Austin avenue. (Advertisement)

FIRE AT TEMPLE.

Heavy Water and Smoke Damage to Stocks.

Temple, Tex., April 6.—Heavy water and smoke damage to merchandise stocks was inflicted through a fire that occurred last night in the furniture store of Temple & George on Main street, Central avenue.

The blaze started in the second floor of the building, which was used by the firm for storing surplus stock. The fire was confined to a small area and extinguished after considerable difficulty, but not without the use of much water which descended in floods upon the stocks in the buildings on the first floor.

Thick palls of smoke added to damage inflicted by the water. The firms involved are Temple & George, furniture; The Hub Store, dry goods and furnishings; Hamill's Tailor shop and Miss Lustre Roberts, millinery. All were badly damaged but to what extent it is difficult to estimate. The amount of insurance carried could not be learned.

Very Effective Method  
for Banishing Hairs

(Modes of Today)

At very little cost any woman can rid her face of hairy growths, if she will use the delatone treatment. This is made by mixing some water with a little powdered delatone. This paste is spread upon the hairy surface for two or three minutes, then rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. No harm results from this treatment, but care should be used to buy real delatone.

Stratton Furniture Stock  
N. W. Corner 6th and Austin  
WACO, TEXAS

We Expected Crowds--But Never Dreamed  
of Such a Jam as We Had Here Yesterday

Stratton Furniture Stock  
N. W. Corner 6th and Austin  
WACO, TEXAS

In Fact Hundreds of People Were Waiting in Front of the Stratton Building---For Hours Before the Time Scheduled for the Sale to Open

# THE BOMB HAS BURST-

THE NEWS IS SPREADING ALL OVER  
LIKE FLYING FRAGMENTS FROM  
THE STATE OF TEXAS—  
AN EXPLODED BOMB—

“EVERYBODY IS  
EXCITED—  
EVERYBODY IS BUYING  
SOME FURNITURE AND  
FLOOR COVERINGS—  
WHETHER THEY  
NEED THEM  
NOW OR NOT—”

“IN FACT MANY  
PEOPLE ARE GIVING  
UP Savings of Years  
and Even Borrowing,  
INVESTING THEIR  
MONEY IN THIS  
BIG SALE—”

This Closing Out Sale of Stratton's Entire Stock  
Proceeds from Day to Day—As Long As the Stock Lasts  
Dennis Did Not Buy This Stock to Keep—  
—This Building Must Be Emptied at Once

THE PUBLIC REAPS THE BENEFIT—You Can Buy Furniture and Floor Coverings Now—If You Hurry—At Lower Prices Than You Ever Did Before—or Will Again—These Greatly Reduced Prices Can Only be Had at Stratton's Old Store—6th and Austin

Hundreds of Pieces of Furniture (That Were in Stratton's Warehouse)  
Were Opened Up Last Night and Will be Placed on Sale Today—  
the Second Great Day of the Sale—Many People Yesterday Were Greatly Disappointed Because the Articles They Wanted Were Sold Before They Got Here—Come Again Today, We May Have Found More of Them in the Warehouse.

“Stock Selling  
Too Fast  
For Us to  
Quote Prices”

# Stratton Furniture Stock

Bought by R. T. Dennis & Co. AT A SMALL PER CENT ON THE \$ OF THE MANUFACTURER'S COST  
Being Sold at Stratton's old Stand, 6th and Austin

Positively No Phone Orders—No Goods Held or Sent C. O. D.—No Goods Exchanged

“Every Hour  
Many Articles  
and In Fact  
Complete Lines  
Are Entirely Closed Out

Federal Reserve  
Directors Elect for  
the Year at Dallas

To Investigate Good  
Roads Expenditures  
in Temple Precinct

Knight Elected  
Hillsboro Mayor

Germany Claims No  
Neutral Lives Lost  
On Ship Falaba

its guaranteed in this fashion for some time, and the practice recently was laid before Attorney General Gregory by Secretary McAdoo. Mr. Gregory decided that the practice was legal but the question of such guaranty has not been taken up by the federal reserve board.

City Garbage.

Will pay you \$1.50 a head for your dead cows and horses and will call and get them. Call City Hall, old phone 887, new phone 2493Z—(Adv.)

LOOK—LOOK.  
Chunks, stove wood. McGlasson's  
Yard, 9th and Franklin. Wood saved  
at any time. New phone 886.

Moved.

Torbett & Germond Co., to our new  
brick building, corner Fourteenth and  
Franklin.—(Adv.)

Golden-Rod will turn it as yellow as  
gold. For sale by all dealers. Cornforth  
Grain company. Distributors.—  
(Adv.)

Dallas, Tex., April 6.—Richard L. Van Zandt, vice governor of the Dallas federal reserve bank, today was elected governor at the monthly meeting here of the board of directors. Mr. Van Zandt, who came here from Fort Worth, Tex., has been acting governor since Oscar Wells resigned the governorship a month ago to become president of the First National Bank of Birmingham, Ala.

John Hooper, cashier, was elected vice governor. L. P. Talley of Houston, Tex., succeeds Mr. Hooper.

The Dallas federal reserve bank district comprises Texas and parts of Oklahoma, Louisiana, New Mexico and Arizona.

Directors attending the meeting were:

Class A—J. T. Scott, president First National bank, Houston; B. A. McKinney, Durango National bank, Durango, Okla.; E. K. Smith, Commercial National bank, Shreveport.

Class B—J. L. Gilbertson, Paris; Frank Kell, Wichita Falls; Marion Sansom, Fort Worth.

Class C—E. O. Tenison, reserve agent, Dallas; Felix Martinez, El Paso; W. F. McCaleb, deputy reserve agent, Dallas.

Bell County Justice Elected.

Bellton, Tex., April 6.—The Bell county commissioners today elected J. W. Brock of Rogers as justice of the peace of precinct No. 4 to serve during the unexpired term of S. H. Blankenship, recently resigned account of ill health.

Temple, Tex., April 6.—The appointment of an investigating committee from its membership to investigate the manner in which the proceeds of a \$600,000 good roads bond issue were used to construct good roads in the Temple precinct over a year ago, have been expended, was decided upon last night by the Chamber of Commerce.

Rumors have been afloat for some time to the effect that there was insufficient money remaining to complete the construction of the road mileage contracted for and promised. Failures to carry out the purposes of the good roads committee in other respects are also being alleged. The committee to be chosen will endeavor to get at the true facts in the case.

When human brains become more enlightened then there might possibly be a feed made to equal Golden-Rod. For sale by all dealers. Cornforth Grain company. Distributors.—(Adv.)

Boy Shot at West.

West, April 6.—Dewey, the 15-year-old son of Geo. L. Brown of this place, accidentally shot himself through the right knee while handling a pistol that he did not know was loaded. The wound is rather serious and the attending physician states may result in a stiff knee.

Unidentified Man Drowns.

Galveston, April 6.—The body of an unidentified white man was found in the channel at Pier 34 today. The man was apparently about 45 years of age. The body had been in the water for several hours.

Will Bartah Shoots Self.

West, April 6.—Will Bartah, who lives a few miles north of town, shot himself through the abdomen last night. He was rushed to a sanitarium at Waco and his chances seem good for recovery. When asked by the surgeon why he did not shoot himself in the head he replied that he was afraid that he might go wide of his mark. He is a young farmer and has a wife.

Depot at Caldwell Burglarized.

Caldwell, Tex., April 6.—The Santa Fe passenger depot was burglarized between the hours of 7 and 10 last night. The cash drawer was forced and \$7.50 taken.

CASTORIA  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the  
Signature of *Franklin*

Washington, April 6.—Government officials took under consideration today a statement from the German embassy quoting an official message from the Berlin foreign office in which responsibility was disclaimed for the loss of any neutral lives on board the British steamer Falaba, recently sunk by a German submarine.

Germany claims that the Falaba, as well as other British merchantmen, were armed and the military necessity made it impossible for the submarine to give any longer time for the passengers to escape.

State department officials say the death of Leon C. Thresher, an American lost with the Falaba, constitutes a complicated case. If the German view is accepted the rights of neutrals to travel abroad belligerent craft of any kind would be circumscribed.

Further, Germany contends sufficient time was permitted for the escape of the passengers and the intimation is given that if he was not included among those saved, there was an act of negligence for which the Germans were not responsible.

Early today President Wilson told callers that no steps had been taken diplomatically by the United States in the Thresher case, beyond efforts to obtain the facts.

No Guarantee for Deposits.

Washington, April 6.—Comptroller of the Currency Williams issued a statement tonight denying authority of the plan for the guarantee of national bank deposits by guarantee companies. He said national bank deposits in some sections have had their deposi-

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**GRAVES** TAILORING CO. \$15 to \$45  
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Everyone Has the Opportunity to See the San Francisco Exposition.

## READ EVERY WORD OF THIS REMARKABLE OFFER

The trip includes first class transportation, Pulligan Sleepers, good hotel accommodations, admission to the exposition—all free to you. The trip will be distributed according to the conditions published below. Any person—men, women or children—to comply will receive the trips.

OR YOU MAY CHOOSE THE FULL ITINERARY OF THE SANTA FE TOUR COMPANY.

Write phone or call for the full conditions of this remarkable offer. Read over the terms in this advertisement and then make arrangements to go. See the exposition without cost.

Start Now to Get Votes.

## NUMBER OF VOTES

IN CITY

	New Sub.	Old Sub.
\$1.25 Three Months	25 Votes	12 Votes
\$1.50 Six Months	50 Votes	25 Votes
\$1.00 One Year	100 Votes	50 Votes
\$2.00 Two Years	200 Votes	100 Votes
\$2.00 Three Years	300 Votes	150 Votes

## NUMBER OF VOTES

BY MAIL OR CARRIER—OUTSIDE OF WACO.

	New Sub.	Old Sub.
\$1.50 Three Months	25 Votes	12 Votes
\$1.50 Six Months	50 Votes	25 Votes
\$1.00 One Year	100 Votes	50 Votes
\$1.00 Two Years	200 Votes	100 Votes
\$1.00 Three Years	300 Votes	150 Votes

## Clip This Out

## NOMINATION BLANK TO PANAMA EXPOSITION.

The undersigned understands the plan of The Waco Morning News Free Trip Contest to the World's Fair and desires to enter and work for a trip.

100 VOTES

This Coupon Good for 100 Votes.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Street or Rural Route \_\_\_\_\_

Mail or send to the Exposition Tour Manager, care The Waco Morning News, Waco, Texas.

Notice—Only one entry blank will be allowed.

ALL YOU NEED TO WIN A TRIP IS 10,000 VOTES

There Will Be No Losers

Buy Wine

IT WILL BE BEST TO CALL IN PERSON AT THE

## WACO NEWS OFFICE

can learn all the details, obtain blanks and begin your campaign

## GERMANY HAS BUT 2

## MILLION MEN SAYS A

## FRENCH ARMY REVIEW

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men. The available resources amounted then at the beginning of January to \$2,000,000 men.

## Trained Men in War.

"Of what are these resources composed chiefly of men who are untrained in time of peace, the trained reservists having almost all left the depots for the front. It has, moreover, to be noted that out of these 2,000,000 men there are, according to the statistics, 800,000 who are more than 39 years of age, and are, therefore, of only mediocre military value. Thus there remain 2,400,000. Finally, the category of the untrained in peace comprises, according to the estimates of German military authorities themselves, one-quarter of inefficients.

"The really available resources capable of campaigning are, therefore, just 2,000,000. These men, comprising the 1915, 1916 and 1917 classes called out in anticipation, constitute—and this point cannot be too strongly insisted upon—the total available resources for the operations during the twelve months of 1918. It is with the number of these troops that will be considering the hate with which they have been trained, the formidable losses sustained in the battle of Flanders by the newly formed corps shows very clearly. Their military value will be limited.

"When it is remembered that, according to the German documents themselves, the definite each month is 260,000 men, it is manifest that the available resources for the year 1918 will not suffice to fill the gaps.

"It is, then, apparent that, established that in the matter of effectives Germany has reached the maximum of possible effort."

## Zeppelin Over Dunkirk.

Dunkirk, France, April 6.—A Zeppelin balloon appeared over Dunkirk last night, coming from the direction of the sea. The dirigible apparently intended to bombard the shipping in the harbor, but on being sighted by the torpedo boats patrolling there, turned and retreated to the German lines.

## Villa Remits Assessments.

San Antonio, Tex., April 6.—A message from Monterrey dated April 1 says that General Villa has remitted the assessments levied against the American members of the chamber of commerce. The American community has remitted their pro rata of the 1,000,000 pesos contained by Villa and which is being used for the relief of the poor of the city. Villa says the foreigners have

## Bisulcated Magnesia for Stomach Troubles

In these days of almost universal indigestion, dyspepsia and other stomach troubles, the demand for a safe, reliable, great specialist that pure bisulcated magnesia is an almost infallible remedy for nearly all forms of stomach trouble, will come as a welcome surprise to all sufferers. It contains a large amount of water immediately after taking, or whenever pain is felt, neutralizes the excess acid, and instantly stops the fermentation and pain. Those who use bisulcated magnesia, every day for a week, will usually find that the trouble has entirely disappeared and normal digestion is completely restored.

## CITY NEWS BRIEFS

Annual Easter Tea at the Home, 1711 South Tenth street today at 3 p.m. Free will offering. All are cordially invited.

Deputy Sheriff John Morgan went

to Ross and West yesterday to investi-

gation.

The preliminary trial of Nicas Boyd and

Willie Lewis, negroes, charged with

the murder of Lizzie Pruitt in Sand-

ton Monday night, will be held in

Judge Padgett's court Thursday. The

negroes were arrested by city police,

and were transferred to the county jail

yesterday morning.

## TRADE EXPOSITION PLANNED BY Y.M.C.A.

BUILDING TO BE SECURED, MADE IN WACO PRODUCTS BOOSTED, FESTIVAL HELD.

## PROGRAMS FOR EVERY NIGHT

Churches and Schools Will Be Invited to Co-Operate in the Project.

## Mexican Exile May Return to the Presidency

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES OF ORDER WILL BE EMPLOYED SUNDAY.

## JOHN MAXWELL WILL SPEAK

Services Will Be Held in Hippodrome Theatre at 10:45—Public is Invited.

A Y. M. B. L. Trade Week and Made-in-Waco Exposition, to be held in the near future, was initiated at the meeting of the league directors held last night, when the home industries committee, of which J. M. Pendland is chairman, submitted an outline of a plan made by H. A. Armstrong, a publicity man well known in the southwest. Mr. Armstrong's plan, which is printed in full following, which was enthusiastically discussed by the directors, contemplates a two weeks' exposition, to be held in some large building available. Manufacturers and merchants of the city will be able to rent booths, in which to display products made in the city, or for which they have agency, for advertising purposes, distributing samples, making demonstrations or other forms of publicity. No sales will be made in the exposition.

Co-operation with the committee of manufacturers conducting the Made-in-Waco campaign sponsored by the Y. M. B. L. will be had, and wide publicity given the event. During the exposition reports of sales made by local merchants on goods made in Waco will be reported to the central publicity committee of the exposition at the close of each day's business. Churches and schools of the city will have booths for educational displays and for demonstrations. Churches will be allowed to have money in their booths if they so desire. Details of this part of the plan will be worked out later after conference with the churches.

As special entertainment features for the week, one-night programs are planned to be of widely different form, each contributed by some organization. Baylor university has asked to have one day set aside for the university, in the exposition hall. Band concerts, special stunts by the Y. M. B. L. and the Chamber of Commerce, and many musical features will make up the entertainments.

It is planned to rent the building on North Third street formerly occupied by the Sanger Bros. wholesale department, which is the largest building available in the business section of the city. Booths in the building will be rented for enough to pay all the expenses of the exposition, not touching the fund which has been raised by the Y. M. B. L. for the promotion of the home industry campaign.

The matter will be taken up by the Manufacturers' association in a special meeting to be held this afternoon. It is probable that Mr. Armstrong will be present. The transportation committee reported that it had been unable to run down the rumor, getting neither confirmation or denial from the officials of the road here. Some time ago the road removed the night train running between Waco and Mart. Band concerts, special stunts by the Y. M. B. L. and the Chamber of Commerce, and many musical features will make up the entertainments.

The league went on record as being strongly opposed to removal of the train, and every effort will be made to induce the management of the road to retain the train if its removal is contemplated. In case the train is removed over the protest of the league, efforts will be made to have a motor car to make the run each way a day.

## Would Transfer Game.

Aid of the Y. M. B. L. was asked by local bankers who are planning to entertain the State Bankers' Convention, which meets here next month, with Texas League baseball games. Waco will have charge of the show, working under the direction of the home industry and publicity committees of the Young Men's Business league and a similar committee from the manufacturers.

Following is the outline of the exposition as submitted by Mr. Armstrong and approved by the directors last night.

Name—Y. M. B. L. Trade Week and "Made in Waco" Exposition.

Purpose—To cement a closer relationship between every business enterprise, social and business organization, on a thorough, practical, approved community co-operative basis, for the good of all, for the purpose of arousing a greater interest, enthusiasm and appreciation of "Made in Waco" products and stimulating local purchases.

Plan—To rent the McChelan estate building and the old Sanger Bros. wholesale building (190x20 feet), decorate them appropriately, cut them up into spaces for booths, sell the spaces to retail stores, local manufacturers as well as to outside people who wish to carry on demonstrations and exhibits that do not conflict with "Made in Waco" products.

Manner of Co-Operation.

Churches—The ladies of the different churches and social organizations are to be given an opportunity to make money in their booths with their bazaars, auction sales, candy sales, fish ponds, etc., as well as extend the hospitality of the churches by congenial, inviting rest rooms.

Schools—The schools are to be given an opportunity to get the class work, statistical information and other advantages before the public at a time when the public mind is in tune with the community co-operation for the trip.

## To Distribute Reports.

Reports of officers and committees of the league made at the close of the last administration will be ready for distribution at the general meeting next week, if the printing can be done by that time. The publicity committee of the league was instructed by the directors last night to let the contract at once. Directors said that the reports would be a permanent record of the accomplishments of the league, and the evidence of the faith that the officers and directors have kept with the members of the league who elected them, and who are not so actively connected with the league.

It is the sympathy of loving friends and the grace of God that help us bear our burden of grief.

MRS. B. F. NEWBERRY AND FAMILY.

## A CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our heart-felt thanks to those of our friends who kindly assisted and comforted us during the illness and death of our beloved husband and father, B. F. Newberry.

We also wish to extend our sincere thanks to those who kindly remembered with beautiful floral tributes and consoling messages.

It is the sympathy of loving friends and the grace of God that help us bear our burden of grief.

W. R. NEWBERRY AND FAMILY.

## American Hides on Roof.

Santa Fe, N. M., April 6.—Dr. William B. Davis, American vice consul at Guadalajara, escaped imminent death by Carranza's adeniles by hiding on the roof of the consulate after an assassin had looked and sealed the doors, according to private letters from Guadalajara, received here today. He remained on the roof two days during the evacuation by the Carranza forces.

The new war loan imposed by Villa at Guadalajara, these advises say, include the following sums on Americans:

Amparo Mining company of Philadelphia, 170,000 pesos; A. W. Geist, John H. Kirk, hardware merchants, 1,000 pesos; A. R. Downs, real estate merchant, 1,000 pesos; L. G. & Co., the principal French dry goods firm, has been forced to pay 220,000 pesos. Of the natives, Joaquin Cuesta, a prominent citizen, was promptly shot by the Villa forces when he refused to pay his assessment.

Through Col. J. E. Horne an invitation was extended to the Y. M. B. L. from Captain Harris, government engineer in charge of the construction of Lock and Dam No 6, eleven miles below Waco on the Brazos, to visit the government works in a body some day next week. Captain Harris said that the lock and dam was nearing completion and on account of the interest of the Y. M. B. L. in the matter he would be glad to have them visit the site on any day next week convenient to them. The matter was delayed until the general meeting of the League next Tuesday night, when it is expected the invitation will be accepted and a day set for the trip.

Department of Insurance and Banking, State of Texas, Austin, Texas, March 22, 1915.—To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that the Lion Bonding & Surety Co., of Omaha, Neb., has in all respects fully complied with the laws of Texas as conditions precedent to its admission into this State, and I have issued to said company a certificate of authority from this office entitling it to do business in this state for the year ending the 29th day of February, 1916.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Austin, Tex., the date first above written.

## JOHN S. PATTERSON.

W. O. VAN WYCK, Manager, 13th Floor Amicable Bldg., Waco, Tex.

## Commissioner.

No Statement Regarding Pinchot.

Washington, April 6.—Secretary Bryan said today that he was not yet prepared to make any announcement concerning the refusal of the German government to permit Gifford Pinchot to act in the Belgian war zone in the distribution of food supplies. He indicated that the matter was being discussed with the German foreign office and that an understanding had not yet been reached. Mr. Bryan declined to say to what duty Mr. Pinchot would now be assigned.

A government decree published in Vienna orders that from now on at least 60 per cent of maize or Indian corn must be used in making bread. The order specifically relates to private bakers, who are prohibited from their own bread, as well as to bakeries. Rolls will be baked only once daily and the military hospitals must be supplied by the bakers before any private orders are filled. The horse bakers shops are not allowed to sell more than a pound of horse meat at a time.

Following discussion as to the proper committee to handle the campaign to obtain the state home of the Knights of Columbus for Waco, and which was referred to the locating agencies committee two weeks ago, an amendment was offered to the constitution by Director Friedlander, which would combine the locating agencies committee with the home industry committee, but with the large amount of work on the hands of the entertainment committee, brought about by the number of conventions, it was decided to leave the entertainment committee found themselves unable to give the proper time to the locating agencies work. An amendment embodying this change will be presented to the general meeting of the league next Tuesday night.

Special entertainment features will be provided for the general meeting next Tuesday night, marking the first general meeting under the new administration. Luncheon will be provided, and the Boy Scout band will give an exhibition of its progress since it was formed.

Speakers can be arranged for one night, taking such subjects for discussion as will mold opinion toward the ends in view.

By offering prizes for popular attractions, for musical contests, baby shows, etc., more personal interest can be created.

Speakers can be arranged for one night, taking such subjects for discussion as will mold opinion toward the ends in view.

A dollar banquet can be arranged for the last night and proceeds can be used for a continuation of the work.

Holland's Magazine will take a booth, furnish an art display, hand out sample copies of the magazine, ask-</p

# Sick Women Made Well

Reliable evidence is abundant that women are constantly being restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

The many testimonial letters that we are continually publishing in the newspapers—hundreds of them—are all genuine, true and unsolicited expressions of heartfelt gratitude for the freedom from suffering that has come to these women solely through the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Money could not buy nor any kind of influence obtain such recommendations; you may depend upon it that any testimonial we publish is honest and true—if you have any doubt of this write to the women whose true names and addresses are always given, and learn for yourself.

#### Read this one from Mrs. Waters:

CAMDEN, N.J.—"I was sick for two years with nervous spells, and my kidneys were affected. I had a doctor all the time and used a galvanic battery, but nothing did me any good. I was not able to go to bed, but spent my time on a couch or in a sleeping-chair, and soon became almost a skeleton. Finally my doctor went away for his health, and my husband heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and got me some. In two months I got relief and now I am like a new woman and am at my usual weight. I recommend your medicine to every one and so does my husband."—Mrs. TILLIE WATERS, 530 Mechanic Street, Camden, N.J.

#### From Hanover, Penn.

HANOVER, PA.—"I was a very weak woman and suffered from bearing down pains and backache. I had been married over four years and had no children. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound proved an excellent remedy for it made me a well woman. After taking a few bottles my pains disappeared, and we now have one of the finest boy babies you ever saw."—Mrs. C. A. RICKRODE, R.F.D., No. 6, Hanover, Pa.

Now answer this question if you can. Why should a woman continue to suffer without first giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial? You know that it has saved many others—why should it fail in your case?

For 30 years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been the standard remedy for female ills. No one sick with woman's ailments does justice to herself if she does not try this famous medicine made from roots and herbs, it has restored so many suffering women to health. Write to LYDIA E. PINKHAM MEDICINE CO. (CONFIDENTIAL) LYNN, MASS., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.



## Tried to Keep the Pinchot Expulsion from the Public

The Hague, April 6, via London, April 7, 12:11 a.m.—Both Henry Van Dyke, the American ambassador to the Netherlands, and Gifford Pinchot, attached to the American legation, have endeavored to the utmost to keep the matter of Mr. Pinchot's expulsion from Belgium by the Germans from publicity, lest such action should render more difficult the work of relief in Belgium, involving the succor of nine and a half million destitute people of that country and the northern provinces of France.

Mr. Pinchot, however, on learning today that the incident had been published, gave the Associated Press the following signed statement:

"Some time ago I was asked by Herbert C. Hoover to become a member of the commission for relief in Belgium and to take charge of the feeding of the French in the invaded provinces north of the German lines. After going twice to the continental armistices, finally were completed and guarantees given to the commission by the German government that the American commission's food would not be taken."

"I came to The Hague and reported immediately to Dr. Van Dyke to whose legation I was attached by orders from Washington, with the specific duty of representing the commission of relief in feeding the civil population in northern France within the German lines."

"Dr. Van Dyke procured from the German legation at The Hague the necessary papers for entering Belgium. On March 30 I went with my wife in a commission automobile and was accompanied by a Brussels representative of the commission to the Belgian frontier, where my diplomatic and commission passes were examined. After three hours' delay we were sent under an armed escort to Antwerp."

"The next morning orders came from the German governor, General von Bissing, through the head of the

pass office in Antwerp, that we were to leave Belgium without delay. No reason was assigned for this action.

"Before leaving, however, I received a letter from the American minister at Brussels, Brand Whitlock, saying that the reason given by General von Bissing for our expulsion was my relationship to the British minister at The Hague, Sir Alan Johnstone, who married my sister, and the fact that I had stayed with him at The Hague on my way to Belgium. Accordingly we returned to Holland on March 31, and since then have been staying with the American minister at The Hague, awaiting instructions from Washington."

"In entering and leaving Belgium Mrs. Pinchot and I were searched by German military authorities.

"I cannot close this statement without expressing the deep impression made upon me by what I saw of the work of the American commission in Belgium and especially by the warm expressions of gratitude and appreciation which came to me from every side and all classes of people, including many of the leaders of the province in which Antwerp lies."

"Dr. Van Dyke, referring to this occurrence, said:

"The incident has diplomatic relations, of course, but these are infinitely less important than the continuance of the work of the relief commission which is saving millions of people from starvation. Therefore, I shall say nothing about the incident until my instructions come from Washington."

#### A Sunrise.

Climbing at a great pace, he reached Malvern Beacon just as it came down, and stood there on the top, watching. He had not much aesthetic sense; but he had enough to be impressed by the slow paling of the stars over space that seemed infinite, so little were its dreamy confines visible in the May morning haze, where the quivering crimson flags and spears of sunrise forged up in a march upon the sky. That vision of the English land at dawn, wide and mysterious, hardly called Mr. Curthcott's view of a future dedicated to Park and Garden "vile." While Derek stood there gazing, the first lark started up and began its bright praise. Save for that song, silence possessed all the driven dark, right out to the Severn and the sea, and the fastnesses of the Welsh hills, and the Wrekkin, away in the north, a black point in the gray. For a moment dark and light hovered and clung together. Would victory wing back into night or on into day? Then, as a town is taken, all was over in one overwhelming rush, and light proclaimed.—John Galsworthy.

#### Safe in Heaven.

A lady of Somerset bewailed the loss of a somewhat ill-bred but extremely wealthy neighbor, who had been very kind in his help to her country charities.

"Mr. X is dead," said she. "He was so good and kind and helpful to me in all sorts of ways. He was so vulgar, poor, dear fellow, we could not know him in London, but we shall meet in heaven."—London *Tit-Bits*.

A butcher in a "nice part" of town sells the curious whims of some of his well-to-do patrons. One of them rushed into his shop just about closing time and exclaimed: "My husband desired that I should come in this afternoon and order some special English chops, and I have been so busy until now I haven't had the time. Now I shall be compelled to carry them. And couldn't you please have them wrapped so that they will look like a book?"—Pittsburgh Chronicle.

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To have ideas of your own at 5 is truly prodigious, but Harry was only 4 and he had more than a few ideas.

One day a rather inquisitive aunt began to cross-question him.

"Are you a good child?" she asked of him.

"Humph—yes."

"What do you want to be when you grow up?"

"Man."

"Yes, of course. But what sort of a man?"

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Detroit, Mich., April 6.—Complete unofficial returns from the local Michigan counties in which local option was the issue in yesterday's election show that the "dry's" were successful in fourteen counties and the "wets" were victorious in two.

Alger county gave a majority of only one vote in favor of the anti-saloon interests.

Quiet Election in Kansas.

Topeka, Kas., April 6.—Elections held today in all the first and second class cities of Kansas generally were featureless.

Chief interest centered in Topeka, where J. E. House, Topeka newspaperman apparently was elected.

Major G. G. Blakesley, a real estate man, in Leavenworth; Mayor E. W. Crancer was re-elected over Mrs. Iva Marshall, a socialist candidate.

C. W. Green was re-elected mayor of Kansas City.

The contest for mayor of Pittsburg was the closest of any reported. William Lanyon Jr. receiving twenty-two votes majority over J. S. Rogers.

Republicans Win at St. Louis.

St. Louis, April 6.—The entire republican ticket of twenty-eight aldermen, led by A. H. Frederick for chairman of the board, was elected here today by a plurality estimated at 25,000.

Saloons Out of Illinois.

Chicago, April 6.—The dry forces voted one hundred more saloons out of Illinois in the local option elections today and by wiping out certain wet spots added three counties to fifty-two already completely dry—total of fifty-five counties out of 192 in the state.

The wets retained the largest cities.

Where local option was an issue at the polls, Danville, Murphysboro and Kankakee remaining wet by larger majorities than at the previous elections. At no point in the state did dry territory go wet.

There were 350 saloons involved and as 100 of these will have to go out of business, the dry forces hailed the result as a victory.

Thompson Elected at Chicago.

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Women voted for the first time at a mayoralty election in Chicago and incomplete returns showed that the relative percentages of men and women received by Thompson and Robert Swett, the defeated democratic candidate, were approximately the same.

Catarrh is very often the result of some other blood trouble, some germ that gets into the blood and multiplies beyond the control of nature.

S. S. S. is the remedy. Do not accept a substitute for this matchless remedy.

Read the circular wrapped around the bottle. It is important.

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MRS. BERTHA KUNZ BAKER  
READS DRAMA DEALING WITH  
WAR IN EUROPE.

Hidden Causes Claimed Responsible  
for Conflict—Two Thousand People  
in Audience.

"The Unseen Empire," having its rulers in the great armament factories of Europe, with its agents in every capital of the world, is the sustaining force that makes war possible, was the theme of a drama of the great war in Europe, read by Mrs. Bertha Kunz Baker, well known dramatic reader, and peace advocate, at Carroll Chapel yesterday afternoon. Fully 2,000 persons, the greatest number ever heard Mrs. Baker. Very unsatisfactory service on the two lines passing Carroll Chapel caused much confusion and complaints, especially when the crowds were returning to the city.

Mrs. Baker is traveling through the southwest, representing the Woman's Peace Party, organized recently in Washington, of which Jane Addams is president and many prominent women of the United States are connected as officers and directors. Mrs. Baker, introducing her reading yesterday afternoon, read from the book and explained the aims of the Woman's Peace Party, which are to take some definite step to end the present war in Europe, to induce all nations to immediately

reduce armaments, and finally to abolish all war.

"The Unseen Empire," Mrs. Baker explained, was a drama written by an American author, to disclose the hidden causes that bring on war, proving the statement that war is the aim of all preparations for war. Mrs. Baker said that the drama was written a year before the outbreak of the war and the audience is of peculiar interest. After the outbreak of the war, the author revised the manuscript, filling in some of the events that are already history, and it was this revised manuscript that Mrs. Baker read. The scenes of the drama are laid in Germany, not to try to fasten the blame for the war on the Germans. Mrs. Baker explained, but as the play is a protest against militarism, it was natural for the author to turn to the nation that had brought militarism to its highest state.

Mrs. Baker added, "Not that France or Russia or England would not have an establishment equally as great and effective if they knew how, for all of these spend more on their armies and navies than does Germany." In the play, diplomatic intrigues, matters of state and international politics rage around the great gun works of the nation, which are in the hands of the woman. Mrs. Baker pointed out the allegorical figure of the woman, representing the position of women today with regard to war. First ignorant, and therefore indifferent, the awakening of the woman in the play and her desperate action that brought the war to an end is compared to the stand that the world is looking to the women today to make. Thus will all war cease, said Mrs. Baker.

Property loss is about \$5,000.

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Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After a few applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.

Residence Burns at Houston.

Houston, April 6.—In a fire near noon that destroyed the two-story frame rooming house of W. G. King at 610 Walker avenue, D. Duper, night chef at the Rice hotel, perished in his room. Horses drawing a hose cart coming from the fire ran away, throwing Bus Wright, driver, to the pavement, rendering him unconscious. Hees reported badly hurt.

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NOTICE

A called meeting of Waco La. No. 1, F. and M. will be held at the new Masonic Temple, corner 8th and Washington Sts., to-night at 7:30. Work in the master's degree. All visiting brethren invited.

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